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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF :
SANTOSH K. GANGWAL ET AL : EXAMINER: HERTZOG, ARDITH E.
SERIAL NO: 10/670,206 :
FILED: SEPTEMBER 26, 2003 : GROUP ART UNIT: 1754
FOR: ZINC OXIDE-BASED SORBENTS :
AND PROCESSES FOR PREPARING AND
USING SAME

AMENDMENT

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

In response to the Office Action dated September 8, 2004, and accompanied by a petition for a two-month Extension of Time and the appropriate fees, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the above-identified application in view of the following amendments and remarks. Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 5 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 11 of this paper and include an attached replacement sheet.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 12 of this paper.